

LABOR MARKET REVIEW

Economic Growth Region 4

Statistical Data Report for April 2009

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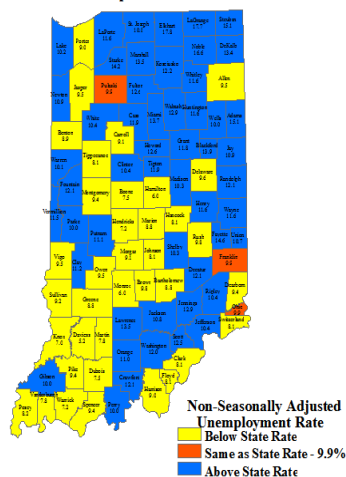


INDIANA
WORKFORCE
DEVELOPMENT
AND ITS **WorkOne** CENTERS

Economic Growth Region (EGR) 4 includes: Benton, Carroll, Cass, Clinton, Fountain, Howard, Miami, Montgomery, Tippecanoe, Tipton, Warren and White counties.



County Unemployment Rates
April 2009



April 2009 Labor Force Estimates

(Not seasonally adjusted)

State Release Date: 05/22/2009

Source: Indiana Workforce Development, Research & Analysis, Local Area Unemployment Statistics

Area	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate April 2009	Rate March 2009 (revised)	Rate April 2008
U. S.	153,834,000	140,586,000	13,248,000	8.6	9.0	4.8
Indiana	3,193,093	2,878,111	314,982	9.9	10.6	4.7
Economic Growth Region 4	239,781	215,336	24,445	10.2	10.9	5.0
Kokomo MSA	43,719	38,260	5,459	12.5	13.6	6.9
Lafayette MSA	99,028	90,886	8,142	8.2	8.7	4.2
Benton County	4,496	4,098	398	8.9	9.3	4.7
Carroll County	10,353	9,412	941	9.1	10.1	4.5
Cass County	18,569	16,360	2,209	11.9	12.8	5.3
Clinton County	17,190	15,403	1,787	10.4	11.3	4.8
Fountain County	8,724	7,672	1,052	12.1	11.8	4.2
Howard County	36,278	31,701	4,577	12.6	13.6	7.2
Miami County	16,423	14,178	2,245	13.7	15.0	6.8
Montgomery County	18,624	16,878	1,746	9.4	9.8	4.0
Tippecanoe County	84,180	77,377	6,803	8.1	8.5	4.1
Tipton County	7,441	6,559	882	11.9	13.1	5.6
Warren County	4,813	4,326	487	10.1	9.7	3.2
White County	12,690	11,372	1,318	10.4	11.9	4.9
Attica City	1,816	1,482	334	18.4	18.2	4.2
Crawfordsville City	7,189	6,409	780	10.8	11.5	4.7
Delphi City	1,404	1,258	146	10.4	10.4	4.5
Fowler City	1,098	990	108	9.8	10.4	4.0
Frankfort City	7,591	6,618	973	12.8	14.0	6.1
Kokomo City	19,824	17,103	2,721	13.7	14.6	7.8
Lafayette City	35,230	31,616	3,614	10.3	10.7	5.0
West Lafayette City	14,618	13,941	677	4.6	5.0	2.9
Logansport City	8,441	7,375	1,066	12.6	13.3	5.6
Monticello City	2,677	2,419	258	9.6	11.6	5.7
Peru City	5,522	4,680	842	15.2	16.3	7.4
Tipton City	2,345	2,033	312	13.3	14.6	6.1
Williamsport City	1,042	910	132	12.7	11.1	2.9

INDIANA and SURROUNDING STATES UNEMPLOYMENT April 2009 (Not seasonally adjusted)

Illinois	9.4%
Indiana	9.9%
Kentucky	9.8%
Michigan	12.9%
Ohio	10.2%

REGIONAL AND STATE UNEMPLOYMENT (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED)

Regional and state unemployment rates were little changed in April. Twenty-one states recorded over-the-month unemployment rate decreases, 18 states and the District of Columbia registered rate increases, and 11 states had no rate change, the Bureau of Labor Statistics reported today. Over the year, jobless rates were up in all 50 states and the District of Columbia. The national unemployment rate rose from 8.5 % in March to 8.9% in April, which was 3.9 percentage points higher than a year earlier.

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE RANKING (HIGH TO LOW)

April 2009	COUNTY
9	Miami
16	Howard
21	Fountain
24	Cass
25	Tipton
41	Clinton
44	White
48	Warren
64	Montgomery
68	Carroll
72	Benton
82	Tippecanoe

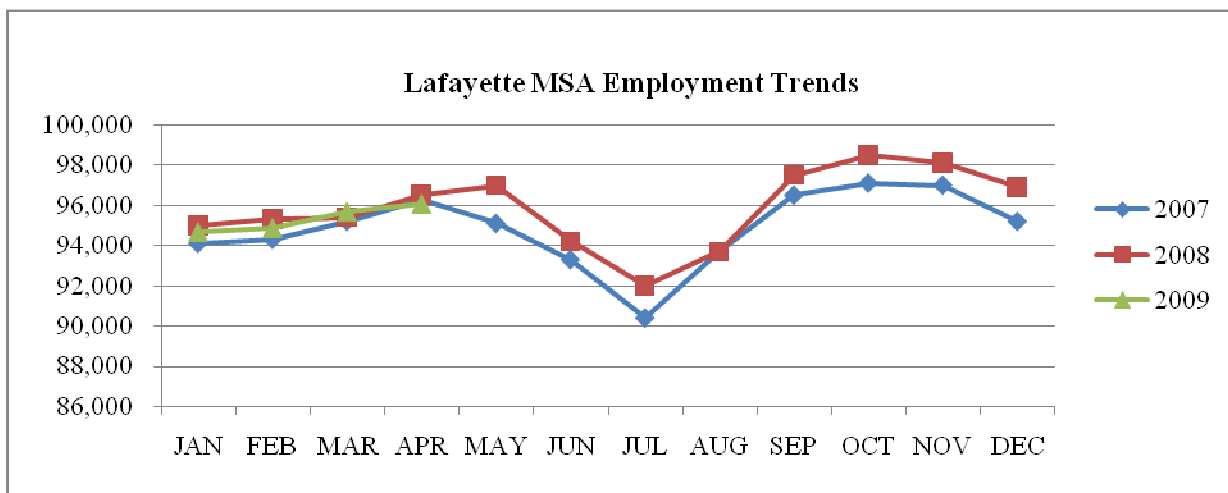
LAFAYETTE MSA

(Benton, Carroll and Tippecanoe Counties)

WAGE & SALARIED EMPLOYMENT

	April	March	April	March-09	April-08		
	2009	2009	2008	To	To		
				April-09	April-09		
Total Nonfarm	96,100	95,700	96,500	400	0.4%	-400	-0.4%
Total Private	65,200	64,800	66,900	400	0.6%	-1,700	-2.5%
Goods Producing	18,500	18,300	19,900	200	1.1%	-1,400	-7.0%
Service-Providing	77,600	77,400	76,600	200	0.3%	1,000	1.3%
Private Service Providing	46,700	46,500	47,000	200	0.4%	-300	-0.6%
Mining, Logging and Construction	3,200	3,000	3,400	200	6.7%	-200	-5.9%
Manufacturing	15,300	15,300	16,500	0	0.0%	-1,200	-7.3%
Durable Goods	11,500	11,500	12,700	0	0.0%	-1,200	-9.5%
Non-Durable Goods	3,800	3,800	3,800	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	14,200	14,200	14,300	0	0.0%	-100	-0.7%
Wholesale Trade	2,100	2,100	2,200	0	0.0%	-100	-4.6%
Retail Trade	10,300	10,300	10,100	0	0.0%	200	2.0%
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	1,800	1,800	2,000	0	0.0%	-200	-10.0%
Information	1,000	1,000	1,100	0	0.0%	-100	-9.1%
Financial Activities	3,800	3,800	3,800	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Professional and Business Services	5,500	5,500	5,700	0	0.0%	-200	-3.5%
Education and Health Services	10,500	10,500	10,100	0	0.0%	400	4.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	8,800	8,600	9,000	200	2.3%	-200	-2.2%
Accommodation and Food Services	8,100	8,000	8,300	100	1.3%	-200	-2.4%
Other Services	2,900	2,900	3,000	0	0.0%	-100	-3.3%
Government	30,900	30,900	29,600	0	0.0%	1,300	4.4%
Federal Government	700	700	700	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
State Government	23,100	23,200	22,000	-100	-0.4%	1,100	5.0%
Local Government	7,100	7,000	6,900	100	1.4%	200	3.0%

NATURAL RESOURCES SHOWN ONLY IN TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL, PRIVATE & GOODS PRODUCING EMPLOYMENT



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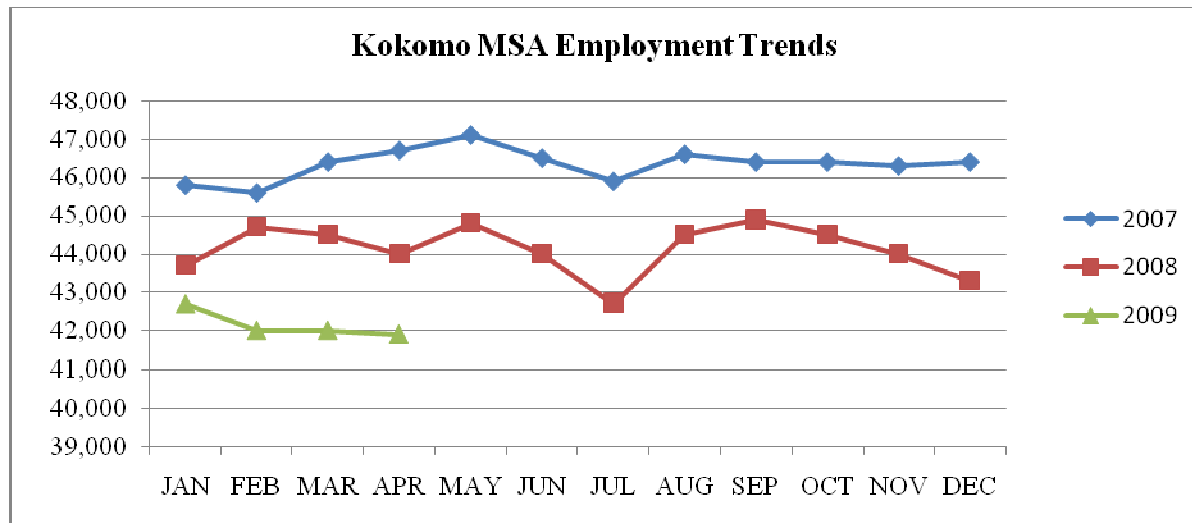
KOKOMO MSA

(Howard and Tipton Counties)

WAGE & SALARIED EMPLOYMENT

	April	March	April	March-09		April-08	
	2009	2009	2008	To		To	
				April-09		April-09	
Total Nonfarm	41,900	42,000	44,000	-100	0.0%	-2,000	-4.6%
Total Private	34,100	34,100	36,000	0	0.0%	-1,900	-5.3%
Goods Producing	11,300	11,300	13,600	0	0.0%	-2,300	-16.9%
Service-Providing	30,700	30,700	30,400	0	0.0%	300	1.0%
Private Service Providing	22,800	22,800	22,400	0	0.0%	400	1.8%
Mining, Logging and Construction	1,100	1,000	1,300	100	10.0%	-200	-15.4%
Manufacturing	10,200	10,300	12,300	-100	-1.0%	-2,100	-17.1%
Durable Goods	9,500	9,500	11,700	0	0.0%	-2,200	-18.8%
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	7,700	7,700	9,700	0	0.0%	-2,000	-20.6%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	7,200	7,100	7,300	100	1.4%	-100	-1.4%
Wholesale Trade	1,000	1,000	1,100	0	0.0%	-100	-9.1%
Retail Trade	5,400	5,400	5,500	0	0.0%	-100	-1.8%
Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities	800	700	700	100	14.3%	100	14.3%
Information	300	300	300	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Financial Activities	1,400	1,400	1,400	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Professional and Business Services	2,600	2,600	2,500	0	0.0%	100	4.0%
Education and Health Services	4,700	4,800	4,100	-100	-2.1%	600	14.6%
Leisure and Hospitality	4,300	4,300	4,500	0	0.0%	-200	-4.4%
Other Services	2,300	2,300	2,300	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Government	7,800	7,900	8,000	-100	0.0%	-100	-1.3%
Federal Government	300	300	300	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
State Government	1,000	1,000	1,100	0	0.0%	-100	-9.1%
Local Government	6,500	6,600	6,600	-100	-1.5%	-100	-1.5%

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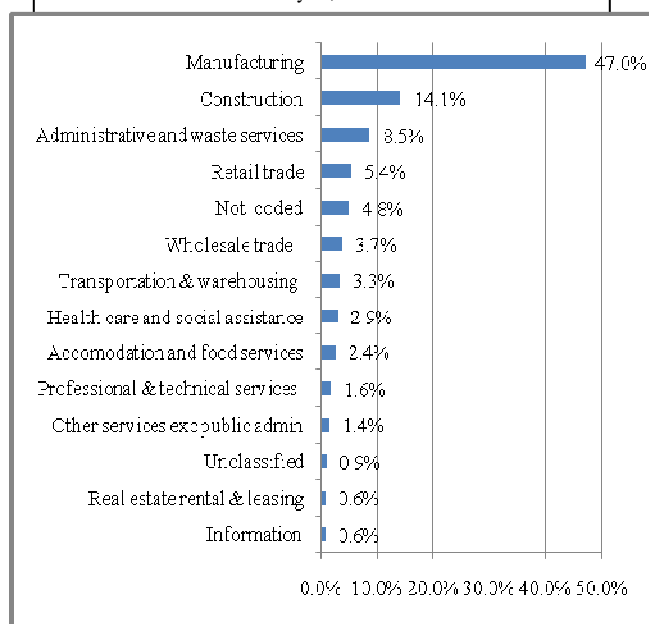
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TOTAL UNEMPLOYMENT CLAIMS REGION 4

Week Ending >	April 4th	April 11th	April 18th	April 25th
Region 4	15,747	14,488	14,212	13,982
Indiana	169,699	165,341	162,502	158,708

Monthly Unemployment Claims by Industry Region 4 April 2009

Source: Indiana Workforce Development,
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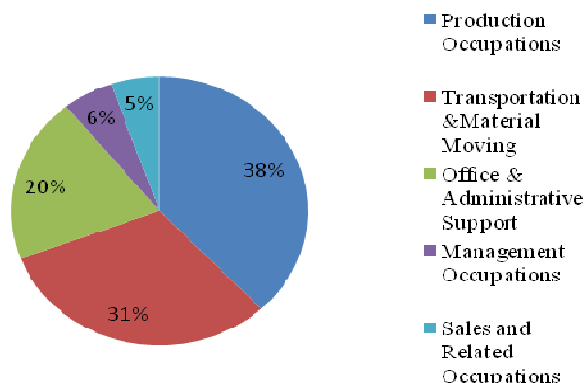
Cass, Clinton, Howard, Miami, Montgomery and Tipton Counties

INTRODUCING: Bruce Bendull

As of June 1, 2009, Bruce Bendull will assume the role of Regional Labor Market Analyst for half of EGR 4- Benton, Carroll, Fountain, Tippecanoe, Warren, and White counties. Bruce can be reached at (219) 762-6592 ext. 228 or bbendull@dwd.in.gov

APPLICANT POOL

Top Five Occupational Groups Selected by
Applicants in Past Twelve Months
Economic Growth Region 4



Source: Indiana Department of Workforce Development,
Indiana Career Connect



CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (CPI-U Change)

Unadjusted Percent Change to April 2009 from:

	<u>April</u> <u>2008</u>	<u>March</u> <u>2009</u>
U.S. City Average		
All Items	-7%	.2%
Food & Beverages	3.3%	-.2%
Housing	1.0%	-.1%
Apparel	.9%	.5%
Transportation	-13.4%	1.4%
Medical Care	3.0%	.3%
Recreation	1.2%	-.3%
Education & Communication	3.4%	.1%
Other Goods & Services	7.9%	2.6%
Midwest Region (All Items)*	-1.5%	.2%

*Midwest Region = Midwest Urban Average. Expenditure categories are not available on a regional basis. Midwest Region includes Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, and Wisconsin.
CPI-U=Consumer Price Index-Urban

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

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